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# H. R. 1417

To prohibit the closure of Walter Reed Army Medical Center notwithstanding the 2005 recommendations of the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 8, 2007

Ms. NORTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on Armed Services

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. PROHIBITION ON CLOSURE OF WALTER REED**  
4       **ARMY MEDICAL CENTER.**

5       Notwithstanding section 2904(a)(5) of the Defense  
6       Base Closure and Realignment Act of 1990 (part A of title  
7       XXIX of Public Law 101–510; 10 U.S.C. 2687 note) and  
8       the recommendations of the Defense Base Closure and Re-  
9       alignment Commission contained in the report transmitted

1 to Congress on September 15, 2005, under section  
2 2903(e) of such Act, the Secretary of Defense shall not  
3 close Walter Reed Army Medical Center.

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